

## Centrally sponsored scheme namely National Project on Organic Farming

The main object of the scheme is to cultivate the land and raising crops in a way to keep the soil alive and in good health. Organic farming helps in maintaining environment health by reducing level of pollution. It reduces the human and animal hazards by reducing the level of residue in the products.

Under this scheme, Training of farmers, field demonstration on organic inputs, setting up of vermi compost and fruit & vegetable compost unit.will be organised .During 2008-09.,Govt. of India has sanctioned the funds of Rs.113.20 lakh , out of which Rs.29.95 lakh were released during the year 2008-09 for implementing various programme . . The funds of Rs29.95lakh has been transferred to Deputy Director of agriculture ,Kurukshetra.The balance funds of Rs.83.25 lakh is yet to be released by Govt. of India. The detailed programme to be implemented is as under -

Name of the component	Financial assistance per unit (Rs in lakh)	Physical (no)	Total Amount (Rs in lakh)	Amount released as 1 <sup>st</sup> installment (Rs in lakh )	% of amount released as 1 <sup>st</sup> installment
Setting up of Fruit/vegetable based compost unit (Financial assistance shall be @ 25% of the project cost with max. limit of Rs.40.00 lakh)	40.00	1	40.00	10.00	25%
Setting up of Vermi culture hatcheries (Financial assistance shall be @ 25% of the project cost with max. limit of Rs.1.50 lakh)	1.50	40	60.00	15.00	25%
Training of Farmers	0.13	40	5.20	1.95	37.5 %
Field Demonstration on Organic inputs	0.10	80	8.00	3.00	37.5%

Total			113.20	29.95	
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